

COMMISSION ON TECHNOLOGY
Agenda Information/Action Item
Meeting Date: November 20, 2015

<i>Agenda Item:</i>	<i>Type of Action Requested:</i>
<u>FOLLOW-UP ON UNAPPROVED MARICOPA LJs' PLAN</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Formal Action/Request <input type="checkbox"/> Information Only <input type="checkbox"/> Other

FROM:

Mr. Karl Heckart, AOC ITD Director & CIO

SUMMARY:

Karl will relay the content of meetings with the leadership of Chandler, Gilbert, Phoenix, and Scottsdale Municipal Courts focused on their conformance to current requirements and automation processes as well as future plans for their local case management systems. The courts each declared no need to move toward AJACS within the plan period. He will summarize the directions being taken by the courts to ensure their long-running CMSs remain viable as well as the future directions stated by court leaders for those systems to be able to participate in current and future statewide automation initiatives.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends approval of the LJ plan as originally submitted but with one significant exception. Members should somehow indicate that approval of the plan does not constitute approval of Scottsdale's CMS Database Conversion project contained in the plan. That effort would sever the connection to AZTEC, placing Scottsdale on a non-ACAP CMS. Departure from the requirement of ACJA 1-501(B) to use the state sponsored and authorized CMS necessitates approval of a formal exception request the same as adoption of a new CMS other than AJACS.

ACTION OPTIONS:

- 1. MOTION: Approve the Maricopa County LJ Courts' plan as submitted.**
- 2. MOTION: Approve the Maricopa County LJ Courts' plan as submitted, noting the exception of Scottsdale's "CMS Database Conversion" project**

and require submittal of an exception request prior to work on the project being undertaken.

- 3. Approve the plan with the exception of Scottsdale's portion, pending approval of an exception request for the "CMS Database Conversion" project.**
- 4. Table the discussion/approval of the Maricopa County LJ Courts' plan for a later time, leaving the plan unapproved.**